

## TO MELT JEWELS FOR 'THE CAUSE'

Women of Nation Will Drop  
Trinkets Into Pot to Raise  
Votes Fund.

HOPE TO GAIN \$50,000

Gold and Silver Bullion to Be Used in  
Campaigns in Seven States  
This Autumn.

Chicago, July 25.—The campaign committee of the National American Woman Suffrage Association issued an appeal today to the women of the country to pour their gold and silver trinkets into a huge "melting pot" for the benefit of their sisters who are battling for the vote this November in seven of the States.

This appeal said to be the first of the sort ever issued in the long history of the suffrage movement in this country. It is signed by Dr. Anna Howard Shaw and the members of the campaign committee, consisting of Mrs. Medill McCormick, chairman; Mrs. Antoinette Funk and Mrs. Sherman M. Bole, of Chicago; Mrs. Helen Gardner, of Washington; Mrs. Mary C. Bradford, of Denver; Mrs. Desha Brackenridge, of Lexington, Ky.; Mrs. John Tucker, of San Francisco; Mrs. Edward Dreier, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

To Make Bullion Bars.

According to the statement given out at campaign headquarters, the committee plans to have the gold and silver converted into bullion and exchanged across the counters of Uncle Sam for the women's hope to raise at least \$50,000 before August 15, and they believe that their appeal will draw out from the hoarding places of the country the equivalent in gold and silver of a large share of this amount.

"We do not ask the women of the country to make great financial sacrifices," said Mrs. Medill McCormick, chairman of the campaign committee, "but we are convinced that our 'melting pot' will make it possible for many women to contribute something to the cause who are not in a position to send money."

"I think you might also add," Mrs. McCormick continued, "that we don't want any woman to give up something which has such strong associations for her that she will want it back the minute she has parted with it. Our idea is—and I think that the proclamation which Dr. Shaw and Mrs. Funk have drafted makes it clear—that the women who have come to take a deep interest in the suffrage movement will be glad to part with something tangible and personal when they realize that the gift will help to make possible a profound improvement in the welfare of others."

Ready Response Expected.

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afford to leave the burden of this fight to the women in the seven campaign States. Every State that is carried for suffrage helps every other State and, by the same token, no State bears its defeat alone. But women are learning to stand by each other as I believe the response to our appeal will show."

The committee hopes to pour \$50,000 into Ohio, \$10,000 into Missouri, and \$5,000 or more into Nebraska, Nevada, Montana, and the two Dakotas. It was announced today that a single check for \$5,000 had been received from a group of Boston women, but the committee is convinced that it will have to raise the bulk of its fund in small amounts.

### PROBE MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

Salt Lake City, July 25.—The police today investigated the death of Samuel Sweeney, a young attorney of Salt Lake, who died from stab wounds alleged to have been inflicted by his wife during a quarrel over another woman. In a dying statement Sweeney declared he was to blame. Sweeney was the son of the late J. C. Sweeney, for many years chief of justice of the Philippine Islands.

### CALLS ADMINISTRATION OF ISLANDS A DISGRACE

Representative Miller Offers Bill for  
Investigation of Philippine  
Conditions.

### "CIVIL SERVICE VIOLATIONS"

"The present administration of Gov. Gen. Harrison in the Philippines has resulted in bringing American citizenship into dishonor and disgrace."

This statement was made yesterday by Representative Clarence B. Miller, of Minnesota, a Republican, in connection with a resolution he introduced authorizing a Congressional investigation into alleged violation of civil service rules in the Philippine Islands. The resolution intimates that many of the Spanish-American war veterans have been removed from civil service in the islands without notice of cause and in flagrant violation of civil service rules by the present governor general.

The measure provides for the appointment by the Speaker of five members of the House to investigate thoroughly and report the facts in detail.

"When civil government was instituted in the Philippines," said Mr. Miller, "policy inaugurated by President McKinley and rigorously adhered to subsequently by Presidents Roosevelt and Taft, placed all civil governmental positions under a rigid civil service system. The present administration, under Gov. Gen. Harrison, completely reversed this system. From the day of arrival he ruthlessly violated the civil service rules and applied the principles of Tammany, the school in which he was trained. Dismissals, a wholesale nature occurred, and no one was protected by civil service or anything else."

"Every American who has visited the islands since the arrival of Harrison has come away aghast and humiliated. The condition there at this moment assumes the proportions of a national disgrace."

### Ever Hear of Such Things?

Boston, July 25.—"Get rid of the mice or we strike." This ultimatum was delivered by the women operatives at the Dorchester telephone exchange. They insist the building must be rid of the rodents.

New York, July 25.—Outdoor life kept them healthy and they were too happy to quarrel. This is the happiness secret of Mr. and Mrs. James Dayton, who just celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary.

Kubler, Colo., July 25.—James Sheen was reunited to his sweetheart of thirty-five years ago, Miss Amy Dod, who he thought dead, when a runaway accident brought them together.

### BRIDE WHOSE FATHER KILLED BOY HUSBAND.



**MRS. EUGENE M. NEWMAN (ANNA CLARY)**

Haverstraw, N. Y., July 25.—Mrs. Eugene M. Newman, the girl bride, whose eighteen-year-old husband was shot down by her father when he was about the age of the bride, is in the care of a physician. The girl has had nothing to say since the shooting. She has eaten but little and spends her time locked in her room alone. Witnesses who testified at the coroner's inquest brought out the fact that young Newman was murdered before he was permitted to utter a word in explanation of his actions. William V. Cleary, town clerk of Haverstraw, and Democratic leader of Rockland County, will make his defense "the unwritten law," claiming that he thought his daughter had been wronged.

### John Abbot Clark, Missouri's Aspirant to Statesmanship

Every two years among the aspirants for congressional honors comprising a new and rising generation of statesmen, there appear for the salutary entertainment of the public characters that depict the attention they compel. There be members retiring voluntarily and some against their will, as we all know. In their places come new forms, new faces and new figures in the nation's arena.

Of those who evince promise of most striking militancy, who to this date have fared forth to win a crown in the field of political conquest none more merited pause for alert consideration than John Abbot Clark, of Cameron. John Abbot Clark of Cameron dwells in a town in the third Missouri congressional district now represented by Hon. Josiah W. Alexander, who is serving his fourth term, having been re-elected two years ago by a plurality approximating 10,000 votes. It boots naught to John Abbot Clark, of Cameron that Judge Alexander is highly esteemed in Washington and elsewhere as a Representative. Clark simply looks upon not only Judge Alexander as a mislabeled statesman, but he likewise regards the entire body of the Congress as an error of popular judgment as reflected by the membership. Holding that view, he cherishes firm purpose to reform the entire body politically.

But let us not anticipate the importance of the appearance of John Abbot Clark, of Cameron, as a candidate least we lose somewhat of the symmetry of the vision of himself which he has presented in a campaign leaflet for the enlightenment of the electorate of the Third Missouri district. Here are some of the allusions of his personality which lend transcendence to his aspirations. The campaign leaflet tells that he was born in a log cabin thirty-five years ago, "which few would suspect," that he has been a law student, that he has been a battle of life as a frail sickly boy, "fighting hog cholera and mortifying diseases that he never broke a proverb nor got cold feet on a friend; that he is a friend of man and he demands that man return the favor. These are inter-

### WANTS QUICK ACTION ON PACTS IN SENATE

President, Says Bryan, Desires Ratification  
of Peace Treaties at Present  
Session of Congress.

### TO MAKE WAR IMPOSSIBLE

In a statement given out yesterday, Secretary of State Bryan declared that the plan of the peace treaties negotiated by him, twenty of which have been sent to the Senate for ratification, was endorsed by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations and that it is desired by the President that they be ratified by the Senate before adjournment of the present session of Congress.

"These treaties ought to make war almost impossible," Mr. Bryan declared. "The essential feature of the treaties is that they provide for impartial investigation of all disputes not settled diplomatically, hostilities not to be begun by either side until the investigation commission has made its report. The investigation must be undertaken by the commission on its own responsibility, and it must report to the two countries within a period of not less than one year. After the investigation each government is free to act as it deems best, the commission's report having no binding force. In all our arbitration treaties," said Mr. Bryan, "there are certain exceptions, and in most of these treaties the exceptions are the vital interests, the independence and the honor of the contracting states and the interests of third parties." It is evident that these arbitration treaties do not prevent recourse to hostilities with regard to the causes included in the exception clause. It is the intention of the treaties to close this gap and leave no cause for a declaration of war until there has been an investigation of the differences.

The treaties sent to the Senate were negotiated with Salvador, Guatemala, Panama, Honduras, Netherlands, Bolivia, Portugal, Peru, Denmark, Switzerland, Costa Rica, Dominica Republic,

Italy, Norway, Uruguay, Brazil, Argentina, and Chile. A treaty has been signed with Peru, but has not yet reached here from Lima. Texts of similar treaties with France and Great Britain have been agreed upon, while China has announced her readiness to sign one of the treaties.

**ADJOURN OR RECESS, WHICH?**

Senate Finally Does the Former.

Until Tomorrow, After Fight.

The Senate struggled yesterday afternoon behind closed doors over the question whether it should adjourn until Monday or take a recess until Monday. For more than an hour the battle went on. There was a succession of roll calls and of calls for a quorum. A quorum could not be obtained and the sergeant-at-arms was sent out to bring in absent Senators. Finally the Senate, unable to get a quorum, adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

In the Senate and the Senate, unable to get a quorum, adjourned until 11 o'clock Monday. Instead of until 11 o'clock, which will give the necessary one hour for the morning business, the Senate is interfering with the Democratic program of taking up trust legislation at 11 o'clock Monday.

**IT'S NOT 'GOOD-BY, ARMY WORM'**

Department of Agriculture officials say that the sudden disappearance of the army worm, after ravaging the trees and lawns of the District, may be only for a short time.

It is the belief of experts that the worms have gone into the ground to hatch out a new crop of worms, which may make their appearance next fall.

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### 'MILLION KISSES' READS COUNSEL

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mette and who came to testify for his case rushed to aid the woman who slew him.

The reading of the letters was resumed when the prisoner, supported by physicians and her husband, had again taken her seat in the box.

**Seeds Million Kisses.**

One letter concluded: "I send you one million kisses on every part of your adorable little body."

M. Labort made no comment on this passage.

In one place the statesman said: "I would risk losing my seat in the chamber of deputies by obtaining a divorce before the forthcoming election; even if I could."

Another passage said: "I hurt myself into your arms with all the force of passion." Later, the writer says: "We must avoid all scandal."

On September 14, 1908, Calliaux wrote to his present wife, to whom he was not then married: "When I first met you I was irresistibly drawn toward you. I was broken up; a moral wreck."

Calliaux's last words were revealed today for the first time by his friend, Dr. Raymond, who attended him on his death bed.

"Tell them what I've done, I've done without hatred," murmured Calliaux just before he died.

The modest clothing of the dead editor was placed before the court as an exhibit. When the attaché carrying the bloodstained garments passed her chair, Mme. Calliaux shuddered and hid her face and it was with difficulty that she saved herself from swooning again.

### WASHINGTON'S TROWEL USED IN STONE LAYING

Ancient Tool in Hand of T. John  
Newton at Northeast Masonic

Temple Ceremony.

The corner stone of the \$25,000 northeast Masonic Temple was laid yesterday with appropriate ceremonies, the trowel used being the one with which George Washington laid the corner stone of the Capitol more than 100 years ago. Representative Martin A. Morrison, of Indiana, a grand master, delivered the oration, and Vice President Marshall was the other important speaker. T. John Newton, grand master of the District, laid the stone.

The members of the city assembled at the temple at Thirteenth and New York avenue at 2:30 p. m. and from there went to the scene of the ceremonies, Eighth and New York. The trowel used by T. John Newton, grand master of the District, laid the stone.

### NAVAL ORDERS.

Commander J. V. Chase, member special board on naval ordnance, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., to duty as commanding officer, Second Battalion, Third Field Artillery, San Francisco, Cal., to duty.

Lieut. H. B. Rieba, detached Naval Training Station, San Francisco, Cal., to duty.

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Cavalry, is relieved from duty in southern department and will proceed to Louisville, Colo., and assume command of the Second Battalion, Third Field Artillery, for duty for one week.

So much of paragraph 2. Special Orders No. 186, July 17, as relates to First Lieut. Arthur H. Dole, Coast Artillery Corps, is amended so as to direct that officer to proceed to headquarters, Coast Defenses of the Columbia, and report to the commanding officer for assignment to duty on his staff.

Capt. John Lund, Ordnance Department, will proceed to Tobyhanna, Pa., and report August 24 to the commanding officer, Second Battalion, Third Field Artillery, for duty for one week.

Capt. James M. Loud, Twenty-sixth Infantry, transferred to the Twenty-sixth Infantry, will proceed on the first available transport sailing from San Francisco, Cal., to Honolulu, Hawaii.

Capt. Martin Novak, Twenty-fifth Infantry, is relieved from assignment to that regiment.

Resignation of First Lieut. John McNeil, Philippine Scouts, has been accepted.

Lieut. Col. Omar Bundy, Eleventh Infantry, is attached to the Sixteenth Infantry.

Second Lieut. Redondo B. Sutton, Coast Artillery Corps, is detailed to an aviation section of the Signal Corps as an aviation student. He will proceed to San Diego, Cal.

A board of officers to consist of: Capt. Arthur S. Cowan, Signal Corps; Capt. Benjamin D. Foulke, aviation officer, Signal Corps; Capt. Townsend F. Dodd, aviation officer, Signal Corps; Capt. Thomas W. Burnett, Medical Corps; First Lieut. Harry L. Schurmer, Medical Reserve Corps, is appointed to meet at the call of the senior members of the board at the Signal Corps Aviation School, San Diego, Cal., for the purpose of examining and recommending for the grade of aviation mechanic such enlisted men of the aviation section of the Signal Corps as the chief signal officer of the army may direct to appear before the board.

A board of officers to consist of: Capt. George H. Scott, Medical Corps; First Lieut. Edwin O. Saunders and Albert G. Goodwyn, Twenty-ninth Infantry; First Lieut. Robert DuRant Harden, Medical Reserve Corps; Second Lieut. Francis R. Fuller, Twenty-ninth Infantry, is appointed to meet at Fort Jay, N. Y., August 4, to conduct the examination of such candidates for volunteer commissions as may be authorized to appear before that section 22 of an act of Congress approved January 21, 1902.

The following changes in the stations and duties of officers of the Medical Corps are ordered:

Capt. Percy L. Jones is relieved from Ambulance Company No. 2 and from duty in the Second Division, Texas City, Tex., and will proceed to the Walter Reed General Hospital, D. C., and assume command of Ambulance Company No. 2, reporting by letter to the commanding general, Eastern Department, relieving Capt. William A. Wickline.

Capt. Wickline will proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Capt. Henry C. Pillsbury, relieved from Jefferson Barracks, Mo., and will proceed to Fort Monroe, Va.

Capt. Charles C. Billingsley is relieved from duty as attending surgeon, Chicago, Ill., and will proceed to Fort Leavenworth, Kans.

Capt. Robert H. Pierson, upon arrival in the United States, will proceed to Fort Williams, Me.

First Lieut. Frank E. Artaud, Medical Reserve Corps, is relieved from further duty at Fort Greben, Alaska, and will proceed to Key West Barracks, Fla.

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